**Learning Services - Learning Support Team**

**News and Notes for October 2012**

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| **Item** | **Information** | | | **Questions/ Thoughts** |
| **LST-LS General Information** | * Website: <http://cesd-aisi-5.wikispaces.com/home> | | |  |
| **Students Matter Committee** | * Did you know we are going to start a Students Matter committee? * Take a look at our DRAFT plan and supporting documents: <http://cesd-aisi-5.wikispaces.com/Students+Matter> | | |  |
| **To do before next AISI meeting:** | * Clarify project vision: What specifically do you hope to accomplish by the end of this year. (Try a white-paper test with staff) * Reflection sheet – will be sent out in advance | | |  |
| **Learning Opportunities** | | | | |
| **Central Alberta Regional Consortium** | * Variety of sessions to support your instructional improvement goals: <http://www.carcpd.ab.ca/> | | |  |
| **AISI Conference** | * Shaw Conference Centre, Edmonton * Date:February 11-12, 2013 * More information: <http://education.alberta.ca/admin/aisi/leaders.aspx> | | |  |
| **Leading and Learning Conference** | * Sheraton, Red Deer * Date: November 29, 30, 2012 * More information: <http://www.carcpd.ab.ca/leading/index.html> | | |  |
| **Tools and Resources** | | | | |
| **QLE** | * Classroom posters will be delivered throughout October * <http://cesdqle.wikispaces.com> | |  | |
| **Choice Literacy** | * Website to support the teaching of reading and writing:   <http://www.choiceliteracy.com/>   * Free newsletter * Annual membership $99.00 provides access to:   + Library of strategies for K-12 literacy   + Videos   + Articles   + Ideas for workshops | |  | |
| **Learning Coaches** | * Website includes videos and webinars and learning guides to support the development of learning coaches * Website: <http://www.inclusiveeducationpdresources.ca/learning-coaches/> | |  | |
| **Research** | | | | |
| **University Research Reviews** | **Topics are continually added to this AISI site, take a look:**  <http://education.alberta.ca/admin/aisi/researchers/lessonslearned.aspx> | |  | |
| **Details** | | | | |
| **Next LS-LST Meeting** | Tuesday, November 27, 2012  Location: Innisfail Board Room  All meetings are listed on the home page of our wiki: <http://cesd-aisi-5.wikispaces.com/home> |  | | |